GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Services-Health Medical & Family Welfare Department- Adverse news published in Print media and Electronic media against the District Hospital, Eluru -Certain staff members participated in dancing and singing in the facilitate function of Dr.A.V.R.Mohan, Medical Superintendent, District Hospital, Eluru and New year celebrations on 02.01.2020 in the meeting hall at District Hospital, Eluru - Departmental Proceedings against Smt.M.Santha Kumari,Head Nurse, District Hospital, Eluru, West Godavari District under Rule 20 of A.P.Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules 1991- Articles of Charges – Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (VC.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.136 **Dated:18.02.2020**

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O R D E R:-

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against Smt.M.Santha Kumari,Head Nurse, District Hospital, Eluru, West Godavari District in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of A.P.Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of article of charges (Annexure-I&II). A list of documents by which and a list of witnesses by whom, the article of charges are proposed to be sustained and list of records/documents are also enclosed. (Annexure -III &IV).

3. Smt.M.Santha Kumari,Head Nurse, District Hospital,Eluru, West Godavari District is directed to submit within 10 days of the receipt of this order, a written statement of her defence.

4. Smt.M.Santha Kumari,Head Nurse, District Hospital, Eluru, West Godavari District is informed that an enquiry will be held only in respect of those article of charges as are not admitted. She should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

5. Smt.M.Santha Kumari,Head Nurse, District Hospital,Eluru, West Godavari District is further informed that if she does not submit her Written Statement of Defence on or before the date specified in para-3 above further action will be processed based on the material available by construing that she has no explanation to offer on her defence.

6. Attention of Smt.M.Santha Kumari, Head Nurse, District Hospital, Eluru, West Godavari District is invited to Rule-24 of the A.P.Civil Services (conduct) Rules 1964 under which no Government servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further her interest in respect of matter pertaining to her service under the Government. If any representation is received on her behalf from another person in respect of any

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matter is dealt with in these proceedings. It will be presumed that, Smt.M.Santha Kumari,Head Nurse, District Hospital,Eluru, West Godavari District is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at her instance and action will be taken against her for violation of Rule-24 of the A.P.Civil Services (Conduct) Rule 1964.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Smt.M.Santha Kumari,Head Nurse, District Hospital,Eluru, West Godavari District through the Commissioner, APVVP, AP, Vijayawada.
The Commissioner, APVVP, Vijayawada with a request to serve and return served copy to Government.
The File.

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ANNEXURE –I

(Annexure to G.O.Rt.No.136, HM&FW(VC.1)Dept., dt:18-02-2020)

STATEMENENT OF ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST Smt.M.Santha Kumari,Head Nurse, District Hospital,Eluru, West Godavari District.

Charge:

That Smt.M.Santha Kumari,Head Nurse, District Hospital,Eluru, West Godavari District has participated in dancing and singing in the facilitate function of Dr.A.V.R.Mohan, Medical Superintendent, District Hospital, Eluru and New year celebrations on 02.01.2020 in the meeting hall at District Hospital, Eluru.

Thus Smt.M.Santha Kumari, by her above mentioned acts has exhibited lack of integrity, devotion to duty and conduct unbecoming of Government Servant and violated Rule 3(1)& (2) of A.P.C.S (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

Dr.K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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ANNEXURE-II

(Annexure to G.O.Rt.No.136, HM&FW(VC.1)Dept.,dt:18-02-2020)

STATEMENENT OF IMPUTATION OF MISCONDUCT IN SUPPORT OF THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST Smt.M.Santha Kumari,Head Nurse, District Hospital,Eluru, West Godavari District.

Charge:

That Smt.M.Santha Kumari,Head Nurse, District Hospital,Eluru, West Godavari District has participated in dancing and singing in the facilitate function of Dr.A.V.R.Mohan, Medical Superintendent, District Hospital, Eluru and New year celebrations on 02.01.2020 in the meeting hall at District Hospital, Eluru.

FACTS AND EVIDENCE:

In letter dated:08.01.2020, the Commissioner, APVVP, AP, Vijayawada has stated that an adverse news published in Print media and Electronic media against the District Hospital, Eluru that Smt.M.Santha Kumari,Head Nurse, District Hospital,Eluru, West Godavari District has participated in dancing and singing in the facilitate function of Dr.A.V.R.Mohan, Medical Superintendent, District Hospital, Eluru and New year celebrations on 02.01.2020 in the meeting hall at District Hospital, Eluru.

Thus the Govt. Servant Smt.M.Santha Kumari,Head Nurse, District Hospital,Eluru, West Godavari District, by her above mentioned acts, has exhibited lack of integrity, devotion to duty and conduct unbecoming of a Government Servant and thereby contravened Rule 3(1) & (2) of A.P.C.S (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

The Government Servant has therefore rendered herself liable for regular departmental action for major penalty.

Dr.K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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ANNEXURE-III

(Annexure to G.O.Rt.No.136, HM&FW(VC.1)Dept.,dt:18-02-2020)

LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHICH ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST Smt.M.Santha Kumari,Head Nurse, District Hospital,Eluru, West Godavari District

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ANNEXURE-IV

(Annexure to G.O.Rt.No.136, HM&FW(VC.1)Dept.,dt:18-02-2020)

LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST Smt.M.Santha Kumari,Head Nurse, District Hospital,Eluru, West Godavari District .

1. News item published in sakshi news paper on 03-01-2020
2. Rc.No.121913/E1/2018, Dated;05-01-2020 of the DCHS, Eluru, West Godavari District.
3. Rc.No.121913/E1/2018, Dated;06-01-2020 of the DCHS, Eluru, West Godavari District.
4. From the Commissioner, APVVP, AP, Vijayawada, Lr Rc No.2429/VC/2020, dated:08.01.2020

Dr.K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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